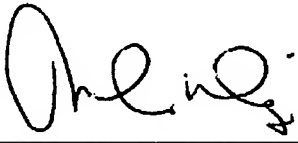



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Attorney Docket No: BEA920010031US1		
Application Serial Number: 10/045,774		Filing Date: 1/9/2002		Examiner: Thuan N. Du		Art Unit: 2116
Invention: Building block removal from partitions						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	21	MINUS	22	0	\$50	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	0	\$200	\$ 0.00
<p>_____ Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>11/23/2004</u> to and through _____, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:</p> <p style="margin-left: 100px;"> _____ one month (\$120.00) _____ three months (\$1,020.00) _____ two months (\$450.00) _____ four months (\$1,590.00) </p>						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0
<p><u> X </u> No additional fee is required.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><u>2/23/2005</u> date</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Michael A. Dryja Reg. No. 39662</p> </div> </div> <p style="margin-top: 20px;">I hereby certify that this Correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope address to the Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop PCT, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or the correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO, on <u>2/23/2005</u>.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Michael A. Dryja</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Reg. No. 39662</p> </div> </div>						

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 23, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks.